



PROBATION HOTLINE (626) 308-5105



VITAL STATS

Name: MCGOWEN, JAMES

Age: 57

Race and Gender: BLACK MALE

Height: 5' 9"

Weight: 165

Distinguishing marks/characteristics: SCAR BACK

GANG: NONE

Last Known Geographic Location: LOS ANGELES

Warrant Confirmed (Check Box):

NARRATIVE:

James McGowen is a documented sex offender with an extensive adult criminal history that began at the age of 18. His convictions include rape, robbery, burglary and failure to register as a sex offender. He has served multiple state prison terms, the longest being a 20 year term for robbery. McGowen was released from state prison to the supervision of the Los Angeles County Probation Department on August 03, 2020. Under the Governor's Public Safety Realignment Act of 2011, better known as Assembly Bill 109 (AB 109) the responsibility of lower-level offenders was shifted from the State to Los Angeles County. He subsequently failed to report to his probation officer and an arrest warrant was issued in November 2020 after he absconded from post release community supervision (PRCS). McGowen qualified to be released to the supervision of probation, under AB 109, because his current commitment offense for failure to register as a sex offender is defined as non-serious and non-violent under the California penal code. His criminal history, sex offender status and current failure to comply with the terms of release make him a most wanted. If you know his whereabouts please contact...

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